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Group Art Unit : 3753
Examiner : WALTON, GEORGE L.
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SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a substitute pre-examination amendment filed in association with a reissue application to round out the patent coverage to which applicant is entitled and filed in response to the Examiner's letter dated 10/27/2003.

Attached are:

- 1) Claims with amendments shown; and
- 2) Applicant's remarks.

This substitute amendment provides the claims with amendments as set forth in the Examiner's Office Action of 5/22/2003, including applicants remarks. The previously submitted Declaration and Power of Attorney are deemed entered with the prior amendment of 8/22/03. Reissue of the application is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner is of the opinion that direct contact with applicant's attorney would expedite the prosecution of this case, he is hereby authorized to call the undersigned collect at 727-734-2855.

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